

SURGEONS REVISE DISTRICT PENSIONS

Four Increases and Four Decreases in Police and Fire Rates.

Three pensioners in the police department and one in the fire department will suffer a decrease in their monthly pensions as the result of the biennial examination of pensioners by the board of police and fire surgeons.

Increases are ordered in the case of four pensioners of the police department.

The recommendation of the board which was approved today by the Commissioners is that, in the police department, the pension of John Stewart be reduced from \$50 to \$30 a month. The report of the board shows that while the pensioner is incapacitated for duty as a police officer, he is permanently employed at a salary of \$75 a month.

Pensions Decreased.
The pension of \$40 a month paid to E. B. Willis is reduced to \$30 a month. The pensioner being, in the opinion of the board of surgeons only one-half disabled for the performance of manual labor.

The pension of \$40 a month paid to E. C. White is reduced to \$30 a month. The pensioner, it is said, has not submitted the result of his examination by a medical officer of the Federal Government as directed.

In the fire department the pension of \$40 a month paid to W. Dolman is reduced to \$30 a month. The pensioner is being reported by the board as not being disabled for the performance of manual labor.

Pensions Increased.
On the ground that they are unfit for the performance of manual labor J. G. Harper, of the Police Department, will receive an increase of from \$30 to \$35 a month, S. W. Buckley of from \$40 to \$50 a month, and C. H. Willingham of from \$30 to \$45 a month.

In no case where the result of medical examination showed that the pensioner was totally disabled, except in the case of John Stewart, who has other employment.

EXPECTS REVERSAL OF HIS SENTENCE

In a formal statement, John Barton Miller, former secretary-treasurer of the First Co-operative Building Association of Georgetown, who was sentenced by Justice Stafford to twenty years in the penitentiary, expresses his belief that the Court of Appeals will reverse the verdict of the lower court.

"I have no fears in regard to the outcome of the matter when it is taken to the Court of Appeals," says Miller. "I feel confident that the court will reverse the decision and support my counsel, Henry E. Davis, in his objections to the lower tribunal's findings."

"The sentence is considered most unusual and a new trial will be asked for on three points. That the jury was improperly impaneled and in direct violation of the District code governing the formation of juries; that if I was guilty of misappropriation of a single dollar I was guilty of larceny and not embezzlement, and that the judge's charge to the jury was a direct invitation to the jury to bring in a verdict of guilty under the intimate promise that he had in his power to impose a jail or fine sentence."



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INFANTILE PARALYSIS PREVALENT IN CAPITAL

Physician Reports a Number of Cases in and Around Georgetown—One Death Only Is Reported to Health Department.

According to the statement of a local physician, there is an epidemic of infantile paralysis prevalent in Georgetown, and from what he had heard there are, he believes, a number of cases in Washington. The Georgetown physician was acquainted with no less than eight cases, in which the symptoms were the same, all located west of Rock creek.

According to the records of the Health Department, but one death from infantile paralysis has been reported within the last month.

Health Officer Woodward said today that he has no information which would lead him to believe that there is an epidemic of the disease in the District. There may be a number of cases of which the Health Department is unaware, as the law does not require the cases to be reported.

"Infantile paralysis is recognized as a communicable disease and the patient should be isolated," said Dr. Woodward. The cause is a matter of doubt among members of the medical profession.

According to medical papers there seems to be a prevalence of the malady in Boston, New York, and other large cities.

Little appears to be known of the early symptoms of the disease. Its progress is quick and severe, and it frequently ends fatally. It attacks children aged between one and three years, though locally some of the victims are near five years of age. The lower extremities of the child become paralyzed and useless. In some cases both limbs are affected. Some children are able to sit up, while others are unable to be out of their beds.

The treatment is open air life and frequent massaging of the lower extremities. The original cases were diagnosed as inflammation of the spine, which had a tendency to affect the legs, but further information shows that it is really paralysis, and a peculiarity is that only infants are affected. The cure is extremely slow, very little medicine being given. Six months is said to be a short time in which to fully recover.

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MRS. COLE OBTAINS THREE-STORY HOUSE

Buys One of Series of Six on Cathedral Avenue Northwest.

Mrs. P. E. Cole has purchased the three-story semi-detached dwelling, numbered 254 Cathedral avenue northwest, from Middaugh & Shannon, Inc., builders.

The consideration in the transaction was \$3,500. The sale was made through the office of Shannon & Luchs, realty brokers.

This house is one of six duplicate dwellings in the same block, just completed by Middaugh & Shannon. Mrs. Cole will occupy the house.

FUNERAL THURSDAY FOR MRS. MATTINGLY

Wife of Attorney Succumbs After Short Illness—Was Worker for Charity.

Funeral services for Mrs. Julia Mattingly, wife of Attorney Robert E. Mattingly, will be held at the family home, 129 D street northwest, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mrs. Mattingly died yesterday after a short illness. She was well known in Washington for her activities in all lines of charitable and religious work. She is survived by her husband and sisters, Mrs. Ida Covington, Mrs. William G. Clary, and Mrs. M. E. Hewing.

FRA ALBERTUS' WIFE TO TAKE THE STUMP

Mrs. Hubbard Will Aid Mrs. Ricker's Gubernatorial Candidacy.

CONCORD, N. H., July 19.—Mrs. Elbert Hubbard, is to take the political stump in New Hampshire, it is announced here.

Mrs. Hubbard lives at East Aurora, N. Y., but has volunteered her services in the fight of Mrs. Marilla Ricker, who is a candidate for governor.

Mrs. Hubbard's appearance in the campaign here is contingent upon Mrs. Ricker's candidacy receiving the approval of the legal authorities. Mrs. Hubbard is herself a contributor to her husband's publications and has gained considerable prominence as a public speaker.

Since her candidacy was announced Mrs. Ricker has received offers of marriage, two of them contingent upon her election to the gubernatorial chair. One of the offers, it is said, came from a well-known clergyman who holds an important post in one of the largest cities of the country.

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Choice of Pearl Horseshoes, Bowknots, Long Bars, Cluster Effects, Link Cuff Buttons, Hat Pins, and Shirt Waist Sets. The "Shirt Waist" Rings, also at 15c, are made of sterling silver and set with jade, amethyst, turquoise, coral and topaz stones; all sizes for the little finger—that's where girls wear them this summer.

New Summer Dresses—All Are Bargains

Summer Girls will revel in these new dresses—it's so unusual to find a newly fresh variety at this season. The chief, just from New York, reports over one thousand garments secured, including High-class Man-tailored Linen Suits, all at prices to create delightful surprise. The garments previously here will now seem dear, of course, but they shall be so reduced in prices that many enthusiastic purchasers will be found for them. Preparing for tomorrow to be the busiest day of the season, the new arrivals and all other Wash Dresses and Suits are to be offered in six (6) great lots, conveniently located for easy selection.

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Low neck ribbed Union Suits, lace thread, all styles and sizes: 75c values
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Plain, lace effect and fancy striped hose, black and colors: Values up to 35c pair: 3 pairs 50c pair
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6 ft.x 9 ft.	\$3.25	\$2.75	6 ft.x 9 ft.	\$3.50	\$3.10
8 ft.x10 ft.	\$6.00	\$4.25	8 ft.x10 ft.	\$7.00	\$5.25
9 ft.x12 ft.	\$7.00	\$5.75	9 ft.x12 ft.	\$9.00	\$6.75
9 ft.x15 ft.	\$9.00	\$7.50	9 ft.x15 ft.	\$10.00	\$8.75

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54 in.x90 in.	\$3.00	\$2.00	9 ft.x12 ft.	\$10.00	\$7.75
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8 ft.x10 ft.	\$7.50	\$6.50			

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30 in.x60 in.	\$1.25	80c	7 ft. 6 in.x10 ft. 6 in.	\$8.50	\$6.00
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